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Lott Carey Convention's Program

(NOTE: The following is the tentative program of the Forty-Ninth Annual Session of the Lott Carey Baptist Foreign Mission Convention, U. S. A., to be held with the Enon Temple Baptist Church, Germantown, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Dr. Adolphus Hobbs, minister, August 27-30, 1946.)

THEME: "*The Contribution of the American Negro in Building a Better World Through Christian Missions.*"

"*I am looking for my brothers—Do tell me where they are pasturing their flocks.*"

Genesis 37:16.

Tuesday—August 27, 1946

Afternoon Session

3:00 Executive Committee Meeting.

4:30 Executive Board Meeting.

Layman's Night

7:30 Worship: "Christianity and the Individual"—Rev. A. L. James, A.B.

7:50 Address of Welcome.

Response: Rev. T. S. Harten, D.D., on behalf of the women.

8:30 Address—Mr. R. L. Holloman, President of the Layman's League.

9:00 Sermon—Rev. C. L. Aiken, D.D.

9:30 Offering.

Announcements.

Wednesday—August 28, 1946

Morning Sessions

9:00 Worship: "Christianity and the Home"—Rev. I. H. Ruffin, D.D.

Special Music—Gospel Jewel Singers.

10:00 President's Address—Rev. G. O. Bullock, D.D., Washington, D. C.

Report of Executive Board—Rev. W. L. Ransome, D.D., Chairman; Rev. A. J. Edwards, B.D., Secretary.

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Annual Associational Meetings

Burke-McDowell Associational:

The Reverend F. D. Young, Moderator; August 23-25, Catawba View Baptist Church, Old Fort, The Reverend L. S. Subier, pastor.

Waynesville Association:

The Reverend J. H. Smith, Moderator; August 23-25, Bethlehem Baptist Church, Franklin, the Reverend R. B. Burgess, pastor.

Gold Hill Association:

The Reverend H. B. Ferguson, Moderator; August 30-31 and September 1, Greens Creek Baptist Church at Rutherfordton, the Reverend G. W. Driskill, pastor.

Shiloh Association:

The Reverend J. M. Burchett, Moderator; September 3-4, Norlina Baptist Church, Warrenton.

Ebenezer Association:

The Reverend F. L. Howell, Moderator; September 19-20, Eskridge Grove Baptist Church, West of Shelby, the Reverend J. C. Mitchell, pastor.

Wilson Association:

The Reverend B. H. Edwards, Moderator; September 20-22, Macedonia Baptist Church, Lucama, the Reverend L. E. Powell, pastor.

Original Shiloh Association:

The Reverend N. A. Cheek, Moderator; September 24-25, Edwards Grove Baptist Church, Elberon, the Reverend C. T. Jones, pastor.

Mountain and Catawba Association:

The Reverend W. S. Sherrill, Moderator; October 4th, Third Creek Baptist Church, Stony Point, the Reverend D. W. Rutherford, pastor.

Ocean View Association:

The Reverend L. M. Stevenson, Moderator; October 4-5, Pleasant View Baptist Church, the Reverend James Bryant, pastor.

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Editorial Comments

Orphanage Month

During the next few years, Negro citizens, particularly in North Carolina, will be called upon to contribute \$300,000.00 in order that orphans in our state might be more adequately cared for.

Like all other educational and human institutions, the Orphanage in Oxford is aware of the serious need for better and more expanded services, and is launching a campaign for funds to meet these needs.

In its 64 year history, the institution has done an excellent job in training the minds and hands of motherless and fatherless children and in cultivating their souls. Thousands of potential juvenile delinquents have been trained to be useful citizens as a result of the character-building program of the orphanage.

Endeavoring to give systematic support to the work of the orphanage, the General Baptist Convention has pledged to give through its cooperative program \$5,000.00 during the current fiscal year. The month of *September* is Orphanage Month in the Convention's emphasis, and President Bishop and Executive Secretary Kilgore are calling upon every *Missionary* Baptist Church in North Carolina to give its membership an opportunity to make an offering for the Orphanage on the third Sunday. In cases where services are not held on the third Sunday, pastors are requested to arrange an offering on one of the other four Sundays.

North Carolina Baptists outnumber any other denominational group in North Carolina almost two to one, and it is hoped that in support of all good causes our support will be twice that of the other groups.

(See pictorial feature elsewhere in this issue.)

We cannot believe in Christ for ourselves without believing in him for the world.—Phillips Brooks.

The highest worship is like unto Christ to grow, Christ-like to be in life, in habit, and love's glow.
—Angelus Silesius.

49th Annual Meeting of Lott Carey

Having had the most successful and perhaps the most fruitful year in its forty-nine year history, the Lott Carey Foreign Mission Convention, U. S. A., will hold its 1946 session, August 27-30, in the Enon Temple Baptist Church, Germantown, Philadelphia, Penn.

An unusual feature of the session will be the presentation of four foreign workers of the Convention, who have all spent over a quarter century in foreign service. Representing the work in Saint Marc, Haiti, will be Dr. and Mrs. Boaz A. Harris, who have directed the mission stations there for over 30 years. Mrs. Cora Pair Thomas retiring as acting superintendent, and Miss Minnie C. Lyon, teacher, of the stations in Liberia, Africa, for 38 and 26 years respectively, will represent mission workers in Africa. The appearance of these foreign servants is expected to draw a host of messengers, and will certainly add new lustre to this historic gathering.

Also of great importance and concern, will be a report on an inspection tour of the fields in Africa by Executive Secretary Wendell C. Somerville.

The theme of the meeting will be "The Contribution of the American Negro in Building a Better World Through Christian Missions."

Commenting on the remarkable progress the organization has made since its founding, President G. O. Bullock issued the following statement:

"Our success thus far as an organization is not because we have supported missionaries in foreign fields, or built churches and schools, but rather because we have realized our fundamental responsibility for our brother throughout the world. We cannot lose the vision now, we must press forward, prepared to meet our new and increasing responsibilities."

The sound of closing doors that shut us out are heard in every life and every day of life.—The Canadian Churchman.

The Task of The Church

Out matching the Nazi in cruelty, a group of white men of Monroe, Ga. ran "amuck" July 25 shooting in cold blood four Georgia Negroes, three of them unquestionably innocent, including two women.

The mob of violent Georgians have not been found, but thorough investigation and search is being made as ordered by Governor Ellis Arnall. Rewards totaling \$30,000.00 have been offered including \$10,000.00 from Arnall, and it is expected that rewards will be increased to \$100,000, if necessary, to locate the lynchers.

Though decent loving people all over America are disturbed over the deplorable incident and are anxious that every person participating will be brought to justice, our greatest concern must be in breaking down those customs and mores which lead to this type of inhuman act.

As we learned from a war which cost billions of dollars and many of our most promising youth, people are not changed by "thrushing" and other pressure methods. The human spirit cannot be crushed. It must be changed.

It is at this point, where the Christian Church rightfully enters (or should enter).

Having manifested a "secondary" influence in transforming humanity, the churches of Christ must awaken to their stewardship in changing the forces which are destroying righteousness and justice that they may be used in establishing these values.

The great task of the church today is to use its numerous resources—prophetic preaching, creative worship and creative Christian Education, in transforming the evil spirit of individual people to a spirit of righteousness and justice to all people. Until this task is fulfilled, we may expect crimes and wars, and even the destruction of humanity itself.

Some of God's Mysteries

An unbeliever once said, "I will believe only what I can understand; none of that 'mystery stuff' for me."

He was asked to explain this problem: How is it possible for a black cow to eat green grass which makes white milk and churns yellow butter?

Can you explain this mystery of God? Note some other mysteries of His creation.

Consider the remarkable transformation that takes place when a caterpillar (an upholstered worm) encases itself in its home-made casket and is changed into a beautiful butterfly. Its hair is

changed to scales—a million to the square inch; the many legs of the caterpillar become the six legs of the butterfly; the yellow becomes a beautiful red; the crawling instinct becomes a flying instinct.

Thus will God take the life of a sinner and transform it until it glows with the beauty of the Lord and is fragrant with the graces of heaven.

A handful of sand is deposited by the Lord in the heart of the earth. Great heat is applied from beneath and ponderous weight from above until, when it is found by man, it has been miraculously changed into a beautiful, fiery opal.

God takes a handful of clay, deposits it deep in the earth, applies great heat beneath it, and when it is found by man it has become a beautiful amethyst, prized highly.

God takes a handful of black carbon, plants it deep in the bowels of the earth, treats it with heat below, presses it with rocks of the mountains above, and transforms it into a glorious diamond fit for a king's crown.

As God performs these wonderful miracles in nature. He also can transform the souls of men and renew their hearts if they only trust fully in Christ Jesus, the Lord of life.

Note the marvelous accuracy of God in His operations in the three kingdoms of the earth—the animal, the vegetable and the mineral kingdoms. This is apparent in the hatching of eggs, for example:

The eggs of the potato bug hatch in 7 days; those of the canary in 14 days; those of the barnyard hen in 21 days; those of ducks and geese in 28 days; those of the mallard in 35 days; those of the parrot and the ostrich in 42 days.

God knows how to regulate nature. Only the One who made you can successfully direct you. Only the One who made your brain and your heart can successfully guide them to a profitable end.

God's wisdom is seen in the structure of the elephant. The four legs of this great beast bend forward in the same direction. No other quadruped is so made. God planned that this animal should have a huge body, too large to live on two legs. For this reason He gave it four fulcrums so that it could rise from the ground easily.

The horse rises from the ground on its two front legs first.

The cow rises from the ground with its two hind legs first. How wise the Lord is in all His works of creation!

God's wisdom is revealed in His arrangements of sections and segments as well as in the number of grains.

Each watermelon has an even number of stripes on the rind.

Each orange has an even number of segments.

Each ear of corn has an even number of rows.

Each stalk of wheat has an even number of grains.

The waves of the sea roll in on the shore twenty-six to the minute in all kinds of weather.

All grains are found in even numbers on the stalks, and the Lord specified thirtyfold, sixtyfold and an hundredfold—all even numbers.

God has caused all flowers to blossom at certain specified times during the day, so that Linneus, the great botanist, once said that if he had a conservatory containing the right kind of soil, moisture and temperature he could tell the time of the day or night by the flowers that were open and those that were closed.

Thus the Lord, in His wonderful grace, can arrange the life that is entrusted to His care in such a way that it will carry out His purposes and plans. Only the life given over to the care of the Lord is safe.

Another mystery as yet unsolved by man is this: God causes the limb of a tree to grow straight out from the trunk for a distance of forty, fifty or sixty feet, with no other anchorage than fifteen or eighteen inches of fibers which lose themselves in the trunk of the tree. No human being has discovered how to apply this principle in the construction of buildings or bridges.

God takes oxygen and hydrogen, both of them odorless, tasteless and colorless, and combines them with carbon which is insoluble, black and tasteless. The result of this combination is beautiful, white, sweet sugar. How does God do it? I do not understand.

I know only that God can take your life—drab, useless and fruitless—and transform it into a beautiful garden of the sweetest graces for His glory. He will do this for you, if you will trust your life to Him!

—“Christ’s Ambassadors Herald.”

Baptists, State and National

By C. F. GRAVES

From reports on the number of Christian educational institutes and conferences held in our state, **North Carolina Baptists** are awake and at work in the way of training and teaching. This is as it should be. A great change is taking place in the field of religious education, and it is well that we are aware of it. It occurs to me that the fields of religious education and social service, offer definite opportunities of exploitation and promising values to youth who are seeking new frontiers of Christian service.

State Baptists are offering increased services in religious and Christian educational studies thru an enlarged group of workers and instructors.

This program is also shared by the extension division of the department of Religious Promotion of Shaw University. The laity, along with the ministry, is returning to school annually, learning how to render a more efficient service, and becoming touched by persons who have been touched. May this type of emphasis continue, and let us hope that a larger group of workers will join in preparation for more effective services.

Chicago, Ill. Thousands of Baptists from all over the country gathered in the Nation’s second City in June for two National Baptist Sunday School and B.T.U. Training Conferences.

It was my privilege to serve for the 21st year as instructor of Senior Sunday School Teachers for the Congress sponsored by the incorporated organization. The Rev. Leon C. Riddick, director of Christian Education and Training, was among the speakers.

Edenton, N. C. On the fifth Sunday, the Baptists of **Roanoke Association** assembled for their Union meetings. There are three divisions of the union, so divided geographically as to accommodate all of the rural church population. The Northeast Bound, comprising Dare, Pasquotank, Currituck and Camden counties, met at Shiloh. Middle Ground, comprising Chowan, Gates and Perquimans Counties, met at Edenton; and Albemarle, comprising Tyrrell, Washington and Beaufort, the Revs. C. L. Griffin, W. H. Davis and W. O. Rogers respectively.

The founding fathers of the organization had a good plan of establishing, building and strengthening churches. Preachers in this section, through forceful preaching and inspiring gospel singers, have led in constructing several good churches. It seems to me now that a literary program may be offered and instructional services furnished with extension credit. Instruction to church officers and workers might be given.

All church officers and workers of Baptist churches need to study text books to find new and improved methods of leading and serving. He who does not study nor go places, has come to the end of his growth. His leadership is dull, uninspiring and backward. The present day leadership, as previously, calls for a “forward look.”

Elizabeth City. The Corner Stone Baptist Church, the Rev. J. R. R. McRay, pastor, has been listening for the past few Sundays, to its delegates report the content of the courses they pursued at the Chicago Congress. They are heard at the regular 11 o’clock service. The members are allowed to participate in the program and much information and inspiration are being received.

Lott Carey Program

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Greetings of Welcome from the Baptists of Pennsylvania—Rev. L. G. Carr, D.D.

11:30 Address—Rev. Samuel A. Abram, D.D.

12:00 Presentation of New Pastors and Delegates—Executive Secretary.

Afternoon Session

2:30 Worship: "Christianity and the Local Church"—Rev. B. F. Bunn, B.D.

2:50 Address: "The Religious Contribution of the American Negro to Christian Missions"—Rev. L. L. Berry, D.D.

3:20 Reports:

Executive Secretary—Rev. Wendell C. Somerville, A.M., D.D., Washington, D. C.

Treasurer—Rev. A. W. Brown, D.D., Richmond, Va.

Editor—Rev. J. L. S. Holloman, D.D., Washington, D. C.

Auditor—Rev. H. T. Gaskins, D.D., Washington, D. C.

Statistician—Rev. P. A. Bishop, D.D., Rich Square, N. C.

Scholarship Commission—Rev. A. L. James, D.D., Roanoke, Va.

Greetings from the Woman's Auxiliary.

Evening Session

7:30 Music Furnished by Second Baptist Church Choir, Akron, Ohio, Mrs. Edna Lewis, Directress.

7:30 Worship: "Christianity and the Social Order"—Rev. James L. Moore, B.D.

8:00 Presentation of Foreign Students.

8:30 Convention Sermon—Rev. C. E. Griffin, B.D.

Missionary Appeal and Offering:

Rev. Thomas Kilgore, A.B.

Rev. C. L. Evans, B.D.

Announcements.

Benediction.

Thursday—August 29, 1946**Morning Session**

9:30 Joint Session with Woman's Auxiliary. (See Program of Woman's Auxiliary.)

Afternoon Session

2:00 Worship: "Christianity and the World Order"—Rev. O. H. Mason, D.D.

Special Music.

2:30 Layman's Hour—Mr. R. L. Holloman presiding.

Address—Dr. Nelson H. Harris, Ph.D.

4:00 Personal Missionary Experiences—Mrs. Selena White and Mrs. Rachel Deloach presiding.

4:30 Address: "The Economic Contribution of the American Negro to Christian Missions"—Rev. C. C. Adams, D.D.

Special Music.

Evening Session

8:00 Woman's Auxiliary—Mrs. A. B. Randolph

Friday—August 30, 1946**Morning Session**

9:00 Worship—"Christianity or Chaos"—Rev. H. L. James, D.D.

9:30 Address: "The Social Contribution of the American Negro to Christian Missions"—Rev. J. P. Reeder, D.D.

10:00 Symposium: "Christian Missions and Our Colleges"—

Shaw University—Rev. R. P. Daniel, Ph.D.

Virginia Seminary and College—Rev. M. C. Allen, D.D.

Virginia Union University—Rev. J. M. Ellison, Ph.D.

Washington Baptist Seminary—Rev. J. L. S. Holloman, D.D.

10:45 Business Session.

11:30 Address—Rev. S. M. Thompson, D.D. Introduction of Visitors.

Afternoon Session**Joint Session—All Bodies**

2:30 Talent Hour.

3:00 "The Educational Contribution of the American Negro to Christian Missions"—Rev. H. T. Medford, D.D.

3:30 Types of Negro Music—Guest Choirs.

4:00 General Discussion of Convention Theme.

4:45 Inspiration Message—Rev. E. C. Smith, D.D.

5:15 Business Session—Reports.

Evening Session

7:00 Motion Pictures.

8:00 Mass Meeting, Executive Secretary presiding.

Presenting our foreign workers:

Miss Minnie C. Lyons.

Mrs. Cora P. Thomas.

Mrs. Boaz A. Harris.

8:45 "Meet Our Foreign Students"—Miss Eugenia Holmes.

Offering.

9:10 Feature Address—Dr. Boaz A. Harris. Reports.

Expressions of Appreciation to the people of Germantown and Pennsylvania.

Benediction.

To swear is not only sinful but senseless. Swearing indicates mental impoverishment and a limited vocabulary.—Herbert.

Absence of occupation is not rest;

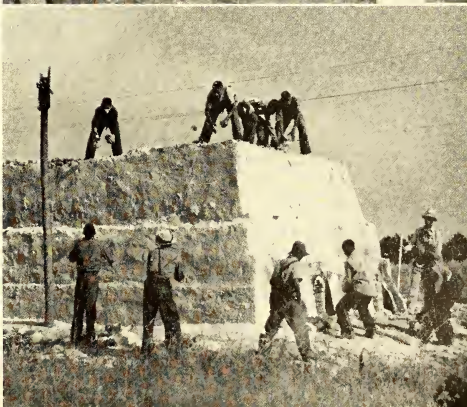
A mind quite vacant is a mind distressed.

—Cowper.

Orphans Are Taught Many Trades Along With Their Mental and Spiritual Education

The Oxford Orphanage deems practical knowledge of several trades a sure means of livelihood and offers to its pupils opportunities for training in agriculture, shoe repairing, brick masonry, barbering, plastering, sewing, cooking, carpentering, and brick making. Three scenes below picture pupils receiving instruction in as many trades.

To the right, the editor of the BAPTIST INFORMER interviews Superintendent T. A. Hamme.



WOMAN'S BAPTIST HOME AND FOREIGN MISSIONARY CONVENTION OF NORTH CAROLINA

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Program of the Sixty-Second Year Woman's Baptist Home and Foreign Missionary Convention

NORTH CAROLINA, AUGUST 21-23, 1946

To Be Held At
SHAW UNIVERSITY

And With
THE TUPPER MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. C. C. Jones, Pastor

Convention Theme: "United We Grow"
Psalms 133:1-3

"Behold, how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity! It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard: that went down to the skirts of his garments; As the dew of Hermon, and as the dew that descended upon the mountains of Zion: for there the Lord Comanded the blessing, even life for evermore."

Motto: "Christ in Every Home."

A United Baptist Womanhood in North Carolina
"My heart's desire: That they might be saved."

Hebrews 10:1

Our Foreign Missionaries:

MRS. CORA P. THOMAS MISS MINNIE C. LYON

Program

Wednesday August 21, 1946

9:00 a.m.-12:15 p.m.—Registration.

1:00 p.m.—Executive Board.

3:00 p.m.—General Board.

4:30 p.m.—Junior Department.

Business Session, Mrs. J. E. McGrier, presiding.

7:30 p.m.—A Pageant: "What God Would Have to Happen," Forsyth County Juniors, Mrs. M. A. Horne, directress. Local Program.

Welcome: Prof. J. W. Eaton.

Response: Mrs. C. S. Wynn, Warren County Junior Supervisor.

Presentation of Host Pastor, Wife and Staff, Officers of the Convention, Returned Missionaries and Guests.

Annual Convention Sermon: Rev. Thomas Kilgore, Executive Secretary, General Baptist Convention of North Carolina.

Offering: Rev. A. L. Mason.

Announcements.

Benediction.

Thursday Morning—August 22, 1946

6:30 a.m.—Prayer and Praise Service, Mrs. Roberta Bunn, Leader and Bible Teacher.

Assistants: Mrs. Bessie E. Harris, Mrs. Zenobia Thomas, Mrs. R. C. Whithead, Mrs. Cassie Hill.

8:30 a.m.—Worship, Mrs. Cora P. Thomas, Misses Vivian Brooks, Miss Olivia Karnga.

9:00 a.m.—"A Charge to Keep I Have." President's Annual Message, Mrs. Viola McMillan.

Reports of Administrative Officers. The Executive Board, Mrs. T. S. Eaton.

The Field-Worker, Mrs. M. J. Brown.

The Treasurer, Mrs. A. B. Johnson
The Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. A. L. Filmore.

Report of the Auditor, Mrs. M. E. Paisley.

Report from Special Worker's Conference, Mrs. A. C. Matthews
Junior President in Annual Message, Miss Eva L. Merritt.

Outlook for 1947, Mrs. J. E. McGrier.

Recognition of Scholarship Donors; Awarding of Blue and Pink Ribbons; Junior and Senior Banners.

Selection by the Choir.

Appointment of Committees.

In Memoriam, Mrs. Avatna Garnes, Mrs. Eunice Youngblood, Mrs. Maud Morehead, Mrs. Lillie D. Williams, Mrs. Susie Davis.

Thursday Afternoon August 22, 1946

1:45 p.m.—Worship.

Theme: Uniting with Youth in Foreign Service, Miss Minnie C. Lyon, Misses Paulette St. Fort and Gracieuse Dextra.

"So he made it again another vessel as seemed good to the potter to make it. Cannot I do with you as this potter?" Jeremiah 18:4, 6.

2:00 p.m.—An Address: "Christian Missions a World-Wide Connecting Link," Dr. Wendell C. Somerville, Executive Secretary, Lott Carey Foreign Mission Convention.

Hymn: "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations."

A Message from the Sisters of the Lott Carey Mission in Liberia, Mrs. Cora Pair Thomas, Returned Missionary.

A Prayer of Thanksgiving and Pledges for 1947.

Announcements.

Benediction.

Thursday Night August 22, 1946

7:00 p.m.—The Junior Department Presenting Minnie C. Lyon in Pageant and Person.

8:00 p.m.—Shaw Night.

Music, Convention Choir.

Presentation, Rev. G. E. Cheek, Director of Public Relations, Shaw University.

Address, Dean Wm. R. Strassner, Dean of School of Religion, Shaw University.

Appeal for Shaw University, Dr. P. A. Bishop, Rev. J. E. McGrier, Rev. James Croom.

Friday Morning August 23, 1946

6:30 a.m.—Prayer and Praise Service.

Consecration Hour: Assistants, Mrs. Rebecca Polite, Mrs. Ophelia Sutton.

8:30 a.m.—Worship.

Theme: "United We Go into the Next Village." Matt. 21:1-3.

"Rise up, ye women that are at ease; . . . tremble, ye women that are at ease; be troubled, ye careless ones: Until the spirit be poured upon us from on high, and the wilderness be a fruitful field, and the fruitful field be counted for a forest. . . .

The work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness, quietness and assurance for ever. Blessed are ye that sow beside all waters." Isaiah 32.

9:00 a.m.—An Address, Mrs. J. S. Farmer, President Women's Missionary Union of North Carolina.

Hymn, "Jesus Shall Reign We'er the Son."

Reports of all Committees.
Finishing of all Business.
President's Closing Word.
"Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

Wednesday Afternoon, 4:30 p.m. BUSINESS SESSION OF JUNIOR DEPARTMENT

Worship, Miss Merry Amanda Filmore, in charge
Theme: "United We Grow"

The Necessity for Growth, Miss Merry A. Filmore, Durham, N. C.

The Physical Growth, Miss Mamie R. Sutton, Henderson, N. C.

The Mental Growth, Miss Hazel Harrison, Nashville, N. C.

The Spiritual Growth, Miss Velma Graham, Tabor City, N. C.

Minutes of Previous Session, Miss Mildred Allen, Secretary.

Roll Call and Written Reports of State Officers

Advisors Council

County Supervisors

Church Supervisors

Junior Delegates.

Appointment of Committee.

Music by Junior Convention Choir.

Contributions Received Through Woman's Convention During July

Seniors

Orange County Union Mass Meeting: Mrs. Lela P. Browder . . .	26.70
Beulah Union: Mrs. Devolia Gordon . . .	9.00
Mt. Vernon-High Point: Mrs. Idelle Tussey . . .	5.00
Caneateck Circle—Currie: Mrs. Helen Carr . . .	.50
West Durham Circle: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield . . .	10.00
First—Charlotte: Mrs. Julia Reed . . .	.50
Mt. Zion (Joyner Group)—Rocky Mount: Mrs. M. J. Allen . . .	5.00
First—Selma: Mrs. Della Saunders . . .	3.00
Pleasant Meadow Circle—Shalotte: Mrs. Lilly McCray . . .	1.00
Ocean View Association Auxiliary: Mrs. Lucester Gore . . .	6.00
New Bethel—Winston-Salem: Mrs. Victoria Burgess . . .	5.00
Office Book Sales: Mrs. Johnson . . .	1.40
First—Wilmington: Mrs. Parthenia Williams . . .	5.00
Raleigh City Union: Mrs. Harriet Smith . . .	20.00
Shiloh—Morrisville: Mrs. Zula Mills . . .	15.00
Wake and Chatham County Union: Mrs. Zula Mills . . .	15.00
United Institutional—Greensboro: Mrs. A. B. Nelson . . .	10.00
North End (Rebecca Lucas Circle)—Rocky Mount: Mrs. Sarah C. Wright . . .	2.50
Red Hill Circle—Selma: Rev. Thomas Kilgore . . .	4.00
Mt. Calvary Circle—Rev. Thomas Kilgore . . .	7.00
Little Hope Circle—Rocky Mount: Rev. Thomas C. Kilgore . . .	3.00
Mt. Gilead—Durham: Mrs. Pattie Rishbee . . .	10.00
St. Pauls—Gastonia: Mrs. M. J. Cabness . . .	2.32
Charlotte: Mrs. Hattie G. Knox . . .	2.25
Shiloh Circle—Mocksville: Mrs. Gertrude Howell . . .	2.00
South Main Street—Louisburg: Mrs. Viola Joyner . . .	2.00
Mt. Zion—Durham: Rev. W. H. Fuller . . .	2.16
Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. B. M. Howard . . .	1.04
New Bern Eastern Auxiliary: Mrs. R. C. Whitehead . . .	24.60
Adorant Circle—Wake: Mrs. Irene D. Powers . . .	4.00
Barness Church—Williamston: Mrs. Alice F. Taylor . . .	2.00
Shady Grove—La Grange: Mrs. Rachel Wooten . . .	2.25
Davidson County Union: Mrs. S. Z. Smith . . .	5.00
First—Fairmont: Mrs. Marie Floyd . . .	5.00
Book Orders and Sales: Mrs. Roberta Brown . . .	2.00
Shiloh—Morrisville: Mr. Walter Mayo . . .	5.00
Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. Lola Pratt . . .	1.80
West Bladen County Union: Mrs. Joe Renna Lewis . . .	1.85
First—Smithfield: Mrs. Eula Mae Saunders . . .	4.00
Emmanuel—High Point: Mrs. Eva McCain . . .	7.00
Antioch—Goldsboro: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	1.00
Eastern Chapel—Goldsboro: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	2.00
Stephens Chapel—Goldsboro: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	1.00
First African—Goldsboro: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	1.00
Fremont—Wayne County: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	1.00
Wayne County Union: Mrs. Lillie R. Everetts . . .	3.00
Oberlin—Raleigh: Mrs. Annie Pettiford . . .	3.00
Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. B. M. Howard . . .	6.26
Elizener (Cynthia Lewis Group)—Rocky Mount: Mrs. B. M. Joyner . . .	2.50

Orange County Union: Mrs. Ella C. Roberson.....	18.90	West Durham (What-I-Can)—Durham: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield.....	.50
Barbees Chapel—Orange County: Mrs. Lula Garrett.....	1.50	West Durham (Busy Bee Band)—Durham: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield.....	.50
Martin Street Circle—Raleigh: Mrs. J. H. Dunston.....	13.00	West Durham (Sunshine Band)—Durham: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield.....	.50
New Hope Sunday School Convention: Mrs. L. H. Dunston.....	10.00	West Durham (Knights of Daniel)—Durham: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield.....	.50
Third Creek—Stony Point: Mrs. Martha L. Miller.....	2.00	Orange County Junior Union Mass Meeting: Mrs. Ella H. Trice.....	7.61
Clinton Institute: Mrs. M. J. Brown.....	2.00	Mt. Vernon (Sunshine Band)—Durham: Miss Rachel D. Clark.....	1.50
Union—Lexington: Mrs. Zula Barker.....	9.00	Raleigh Junior Union: Mrs. Harriet Smith.....	5.00
Community Baptist—Durham: Mrs. Lula Garrett.....	.75	Mt. Zion Junior Department—Rocky Mount: Mrs. R. W. Underwood.....	15.00
Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. B. M. Howard.....	.50	Durham County Junior Union: Mrs. Mable R. Brown.....	5.00
Gethsemane—Durham: Mrs. Marie Daisy Durham.....	1.00	Rocky Mount Junior Union: Mrs. Zenobia Thomas.....	1.50
First—Weldon: Mrs. R. A. Cheek.....	10.00	Union Baptist—Lexington: Mrs. Zula Barker.....	1.50
St. James (Lucinda Weston Group)—Rocky Mount.....	5.25	Friendship—Fayetteville: Mrs. M. L. Jordan.....	10.00
Office Book Sales: Mrs. A. B. Johnson.....	2.48	New Bethel (Junior Department)—Asheville: Mrs. Annie J. Duke.....	1.42
Office Book Sales: Mrs. J. E. Brown.....	2.00	Welfare (Junior Department)—Asheville: Mrs. Annie J. Duke.....	1.15
Shady Grove—Wayne County: Mrs. Daisy Durham.....	2.00	Mt. Olive (Junior Department)—Asheville: Mrs. Annie J. Duke.....	.25
Hooks Grove—Wayne County: Mrs. Daisy Durham.....	2.00	Ebenezer (Junior Department)—Asheville: Mrs. Annie J. Duke.....	.50
Winn's Chapel—Wayne County: Mrs. Daisy Durham.....	1.00	St. James (Junior Department Lucinda Weston)—Rocky Mount: Mrs. Rebecca Martin.....	3.00
St. Stephen's—Wayne County: Mrs. Daisy Durham.....	2.00	First—Lumberton: Mrs. Isabelle Moseley.....	1.50
Eureka Church—Wayne County: Mrs. Daisy Durham.....	1.00	Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. B. M. Howard.....	6.50
Halifax County Union: Mrs. A. C. Matthews.....	5.00	White Rock (Junior Circle)—Durham: Mrs. J. H. Dunston.....	3.00
First Institutional—Winston-Salem: Mrs. Addie Allen.....	6.00	Franklin County Mass Meeting: Mrs. Flora Thomas.....	25.00
Henderson and Folk County Union: Mrs. Elizabeth S. Darity.....	2.00	Martin Street (Raleigh Junior Department)—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	12.50
Office Books.....	.41	Morning Star—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	9.00
Charlotte City Union: Mrs. Mildred Gaither.....	10.00	Berlin—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	4.57
Book Sales: Mrs. Julia Reed.....	1.00	Tupper Memorial—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	2.00
First—Lumberton: Mrs. Isabelle Moseley.....	15.00	Fayetteville Street—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	3.25
Mt. Bright—Hillsboro: Mrs. Lela P. Browder.....	3.00	First—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	6.60
St. Paul—Durham: Mr. Thomas Royster.....	20.00	West Union Street—Raleigh: Mrs. Sanders.....	2.01
Mt. Vernon—Durham: Mrs. Alice Cheatham.....	1.00	Hilly Branch (What-I-Can)—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	2.00
White Rock—Durham: Mrs. J. H. Dunston.....	3.00	Hilly Branch (Sunshine Band)—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	2.00
Red Bud Circle—Henderson: Mrs. Alice Cheatham.....	1.00	Hilly Branch (Busy Bee Band)—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	.50
Grace—Durham: Mrs. J. H. Waugh.....	10.00	Hilly Branch (Knights of Daniel)—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	1.00
Friendship—Charlotte: Mrs. Charles Shaw.....	6.25	Hilly Branch (Junior Mission Women)—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	5.00
Franklin County Mass Meeting: Mrs. Flora Thomas.....	28.00	New Shepherd (Junior Department)—Coolesburg: Mrs. Prudence L. Johnson.....	4.00
Book Sale: Mrs. E. S. Alston.....	1.80	West Bladen County Union: Mrs. Rosa B. Purdy.....	5.00
St. John Circle—Red Oak: Mrs. L. B. Hilliard.....	1.50	Morning Star—Friendship, West Lenoir, New Hill, Friends and Neighbors.....	15.00
Long Circle—Kittrell: Mrs. L. Eaton.....	2.00	Mill Branch Circle—Fairmont: Mrs. Manie Woodberry.....	2.50
Hilly Branch Circle—Lumberton: Mrs. Maggie Gerald.....	10.00	Wilkes County Union: Mrs. Bessie E. Harris.....	17.41
First—Fayetteville: Mrs. Martha G. White.....	10.00	Second—Durham: Mrs. Maggie Younger.....	5.00
First—Charlotte: Mrs. Capitola P. Wilson.....	10.00	Durham City—County Union: Mrs. Maggie Younger.....	25.00
West Bladen County Union: Mrs. Rosa B. Purdy.....	10.00	Lower Person County Union: Mrs. Willie Barnett.....	10.18
Pleasant Meadows Circle—Lumberton: Mrs. Katie Belle Sinclair.....	1.50	Shiloh Circle—Wilmington: Mrs. Clara A. Moore.....	1.50
Union—Durham: Mrs. Alice Brame.....	1.00	New Bethel Circle—Durham: Mrs. Eria Norris.....	1.50
Clinton—Mrs. Mary E. Berry.....	10.00		
Shiloh Circle—Greensboro: Mrs. Sadie Johnson.....	5.00		
Olive Branch Circle—Wake Forest: Mrs. Lillie E. Hodge.....	5.00		
Raleigh City Union: Mrs. Harrie Smith.....	20.00		
New Shepherd—Coolesburg: Mrs. Prudence L. Johnson.....	5.00		
Morning Star—Friendship, West Lenoir, New Hill, Friends and Neighbors.....	15.00		
Mill Branch Circle—Fairmont: Mrs. Manie Woodberry.....	2.50		
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Shiloh Circle—Wilmington: Mrs. Clara A. Moore.....	1.50		
New Bethel Circle—Durham: Mrs. Eria Norris.....	1.50		
TOTAL CONTRIBUTION FOR THE MONTH OF JULY.....	\$ 683.06		
Thank You.....			
Juniors			
West Durham (Junior Women's Group)—Durham: Mrs. Mary D. Satterfield.....	\$ 2.00	TOTAL.....	\$ 813.52
		Thank You.....	

Annual Associational Meetings

(Continued from Page 2)

Old Eastern Association: The Reverend J. A. Nimmo, Moderator; October 4-6, Saint Paul Baptist Church, Tarboro, the Reverend W. H. Owens, pastor.

Bethlehem Baptist Association: The Reverend M. N. Zollicoff, Moderator; October 8, Cedar Grove Baptist Church, the Reverend W. Faulcon, pastor.

Middle Association: The Reverend J. M. Burchett, Moderator; October 8-9, Nut Bush Baptist Church, near Henderson, the Reverend J. C. Cobb, pastor.

New Hope Association: The Reverend T. A. Grady, Moderator; October 9-10, Haw River Baptist Church, be-

tween Chapel Hill and Pittsburgh, the Reverend W. H. Bland, pastor.

Friendship Association: The Reverend T. F. Fraylon, Moderator; October 10-11, Mount Zion Baptist Church, Gastonia, the Reverend W. M. Nelson, pastor.

Eastern Pamlico Association: The Reverend I. S. Branch, Moderator; October 10-13, Ephworth Baptist Church, near Griffon, the Reverend G. A. Moore, pastor.

Pee Dee Union Association: The Reverend W. H. Diggs, Moderator; October 18-20, Saron Baptist Church, Ellerbe, the Reverend G. M. Myers, pastor.

Kenansville Eastern Association: The Reverend J. M. Newkirk, Moderator; October

17-19, Willard Chapel Baptist Church, Willard.

Hyde County Association: The Reverend A. B. Fulford, Moderator; October 24-26, Saint Lydia Baptist Church, New Holland, the Reverend A. B. Fulford, pastor.

Lane Creek Association: The Reverend D. F. Moore, Moderator; October 24-25, Gillfield Baptist Church, Charlotte, the Reverend G. W. Walker, pastor.

Hammonds Creek Association: The Reverend R. L. Blue, Moderator; October 24-25, Pleasant Union Baptist Church, Easacadia, the Reverend J. M. Mellette, pastor.

Western Union Association: October 24-25, Brown Chapel Baptist Church, the Reverend Bobbitt, pastor.

FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S OFFICE

By THOMAS KILGORE

An Open Letter

Dear Co-Worker:

This letter comes to you in the place of your Executive Secretary to tell you of the progress and condition of our State Convention as we round out the tenth month of our 1945-46 fiscal year. September 30th is only two months away, and though we have done a better job in service and in raising funds for Christian Missions, and Christian Education, and Benevolence than ever before, we yet have a long way to go before reaching our goal of \$150,000.00.

As of today (July 31) we have raised for the Unified Program \$50,159.55, for Shaw Expansion \$9,720.13, and for Oxford Orphanage \$1,059.86. According to our budgets for these objectives these next two months challenge us to raise for the Unified Program \$19,830.45, for Shaw Expansion \$65,279.87, and for Oxford Orphanage \$3,940.14. Many of our churches and organizations have sent money directly to the objectives, when the report comes from them to our office the above stated amounts which we yet have to raise will be reduced. But there is still an imperative challenge to every Baptist Church and organization to give more if you have already given, and to give freely in paying quotas and pledges if you have not given. We must not fail in our efforts for Kingdom Building.

May I close this letter by asking that you do two specific things. First, the month of September is being observed as Oxford Orphanage Month, and the Third Sunday in September as Oxford Orphanage Day. Our request is that each church will receive an offering for the Orphanage on that day, and send it to our office. For those churches which do not have services on the Third Sunday we are asking

that the offering for the Orphanage would be taken on any Sunday in September; and, secondly, we are eagerly expecting you and representatives of your church at the Seventy-ninth Annual Meeting of the General Baptist State Convention at Ebenezer Baptist Church, Charlotte, Dr. H. M. Moore, pastor, October 29, 30, and 31.

I remain,

Yours for the Cause,
Thomas Kilgore.

Visits During July

Though much office work was done in July, as we handled contributions amounting to \$10,130.78 (an all time record for July) for the month, there was some time for pastoral and Associational visits. The reception at each church and each Association was extremely cordial and Christian.

The first Sunday in July found us at **First Baptist Church, Oxford**, Dr. G. W. Watkins, pastor. The worship was refreshing, and the whole service emphasizing Missions was very successful. On Friday of that same week I journeyed to Baltimore, Maryland to speak to the Maryland Sunday School and B. T. U. Convention. I enjoyed a fine fellowship with the Maryland brethren.

Sunday, July 14, visits were made to **Providence Baptist Church, Edenton**, the Reverend J. L. Nichols, pastor; **Joppa Baptist Church**, the Reverend W. F. Brinkley, pastor and **Mount Moriah Baptist**, the Reverend H. L. Mitchell, pastor. There were three delightful services, and these three Roanoke Churches are with the Convention Program.

On the 17th, 18th, and 25th visits were made to the **County Line**, **Rising Star**, and **East Cedar Grove Associations**, re-

spectively. **Moderator D. P. Lewis** of County Line, **Moderator W. M. Alexander** of Rising Star, and **Moderator G. W. Thomas**, of East Cedar Grove are all doing fine jobs in developing the Spirit of Christian Stewardship in their areas.

First Baptist Church in Charlotte is without a pastor. I enjoyed a fine visit there on the 21st. A grand opportunity awaits some forward looking energetic man at First Baptist.

Moderator J. W. Diggs of Zion Association is pastor of **Meltonsville Baptist Church** near **Wadesboro**. It was a pleasure to visit that congregation and pastor on the 28th. A good service was held and a liberal offering for Missions taken.

Summer Ministers' Class Conduct Revival at Mt. Zion

A two weeks' revival was conducted at the Mount Zion Baptist Church of Raleigh July 8-19, by a group of ministers enrolled in the special Summer Ministers' class at Shaw University. Pastor A. A. Anderson presided and introduced the speakers.

Preaching during the evangelistic services were the Revs. K. P. Battle, Rocky Mount; E. J. Funderburk, Cheraw, S. C.; E. L. Nizzell, LaGrange; J. L. Little, Wadesboro; A. T. Fost, Greensboro; Pastor Anderson; J. H. Dixon, Enfield; W. A. Bradshaw, Chapel Hill; T. R. McKeever, Varina; and J. S. Lyons of Goldsboro.

Officers of this year's class were: The Revs. K. P. Battle, president; J. L. Williamson of Evergreen, vice president; W. A. Bradshaw, secretary; A. T. Foust, assistant secretary; S. Spencer of Raleigh, treasurer; and D. L. Lawrence of Rocky Mount, chaplain.

DEPARTMENT OF Christian Education and Training

Leon C. Riddick, Director
John W. White, B. T. U. Director

The month of July was filled with associational and conventional meetings of local church groups throughout the State. Many of these meetings were visited by members of the Headquarter's Staff. Throughout the State we found an increased interest in Christian Missions and Christian Education. Many local Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Conventions are doing good jobs in training the people for a more efficient and effective work in the local church. Other local groups are very much backward in program and outlook. Therefore, our program of Christian Education is challenged to increase its staff of trained workers in order that more delinquent areas within our State may be reached.

Streamlining Conventions:

When we mention "streamlining" we think of the automobile industry. The writer believes that the practical implication of "streamlining" is, that, the non-essential is cut off. In the modern cars, the running board is not seen until the door is opened. Trunks are built-in, rather than on the car, and in many other instances the non-essentials have been cut off.

Too much time is wasted in too many conventions and associations with non-essentials. What spiritual or educational value do people get from leaders who spend one-half of the time arguing on "points of order, etc.?" Of what value is it to appoint a committee on the state of the country, when many persons on the committee know nothing about the state of the county, and less than that about the state of the country. The daily newspapers and the radios



Miss Dickens joined the staff of the Convention immediately upon her graduation from Shaw University in June, with an A.B. degree in Christian Education and Missionary Training. She was employed for a three (3) month period to assist the churches of the state in conducting Vacation Bible Schools. Her work has been very commendable, and the Vacation Bible School program has taken on new life within our state.

give to the world each day a fine analysis as to the condition of the country. Thus, much is put on paper that should be put in living. We cannot better our condition through the appointment of committees, drafting resolutions, etc.; but, we can do a great job by getting down to the ballot box in our county, state and federal elections and casting our ballot. We can do a great job in training our people to establish more substantial businesses, and less "joints," pool rooms, beer gardens, etc. We can do a great job by teaching them to be honest, clean, industrious and thrifty. More of

us need homes and better living conditions. Far too many people are throwing their money away foolishly, without realizing that "That Awful Day" of need and economic distress is sure to come.



The Reverend J. A. Little, of Monroe, North Carolina, prominent pastor and leader in the Zion Association has set a very good example for the local Sunday School and Baptist Training Union Conventions of the state. As president of the Zion Sunday School Convention, a fruit-bearing program of Christian training has been inaugurated. This convention, also, sent up more than \$500.00 for Missions and Christian Education with an attached list of every church that contributed. We might well say to others, "Go thou, and do likewise."

How Long, How Long?

The ungodliness that exists among the leadership of our church groups, and the misappropriation of church funds causes one to wonder how long will such leadership continue to wave the sceptre without being condemned by a Christian populace. Racketeering should not exist in Christian bodies. Much



A group of the more than 200 pupils and staff members in the Vacation Bible School held at St. Paul Baptist Church of Charlotte. The school was directed by Pastor J. F. Wertz and Mrs. Florence Harris served as principal, Desoto Ellison is Sunday School superintendent.

Faculty members were: Mesdames Ollie Hart, Verdel Fletcher, Anna Williams, Nannie Ballard, Ruth Pearson, Daisy McClee, Alberta Wertz, Annie Bell Watson, Naomi McCain, Zula Belk, Doretha Cornelius, Marie Adams, Ethel Johnson; Misses Ruby McClee, Faybelle Springs, Thelma Green, Roberta Green, Clara Wertz, and James F. Wertz, Jr. Mrs. Rosetta Cladwell and Mrs. Ruth Pearson were in charge of refreshments.

money that is raised in many local conventions for Missions and Christian Education is never used or sent away for the intended purpose. It does not matter so much as to what organizational channel the money goes through, as long as it serves the intended purpose, and reaches the ultimate specified goal; but, for church money to remain idle in local convention and association treasures, and for much of it to be split between officers and members of the group is a sin. This situation can be helped a bit by an awakening in the local churches. When the church members refuse to accept an un-Christian and untrained leader, when they refuse to tolerate a minister, or deacons who boss and dictate for their own personal gain and self-glory, when they return to the weekly prayer meeting and become so filled with power from on high that the ungodly will not be able to stand within the "congregation of the righteous," a new day

will dawn—but, *How Long, How Long?*

Institute Training:

All local units of Christian Education and local churches should begin now to plan for their Training Program. Please notify the Department of Christian Education and Training, Post Office Box 287, Raleigh, N. C., if you desire a training course in your community. We will be very glad to assist you in arranging your program and outline of study. Now is the time to plan for your fall, winter, and spring training in your community. If the service of any member of the staff of the Department of Christian Education and Training is desired, please notify the office, immediately, giving the date and place. For further information about the local institute, secure a copy of the "Handbook for the Promotion of Christian Education," by sending 26 cents to your Baptist Supply Store, Post Office Box 287, Raleigh, N. C.

Pioneers In Bible Study

The last week in June marked a beginning point in Kingdom building in the Narrington community, among the Negro boys and girls. This week was dedicated to Bible study and recreational activities. The young ladies who gave their service as instructors were members of this community. They were: Miss Mautress Campbell, teacher in Fairmont High School; Miss Thelma Campbell, student at A. & T. College, Greensboro; Miss Virginia McLean, student at State Teachers College, Elizabeth City, N. C.; Miss Sadie Campbell, graduate of Shawtown High School; Miss Hertella McLean, graduate of Shawtown High School, Lillington, N. C.; and Miss Margaret McNeill, graduate of Fayetteville Teachers College, Fayetteville, N. C.; Miss McNeill has served as substitute teacher in Harnett County and Wake. She is trying hard to organize her community into a Christian way of life.

East Cedar Grove Leader Calls On Messengers to "Go Forward"

Delivering his 11th annual message as moderator during the annual session held July 24-25 in the Rock Spring Baptist Church, Creedmoor, the Rev. G. W. Thomas called upon a host of messengers of the East Cedar Grove Association to "go forward" in a cooperative and consolidated church program and in their financial effort.

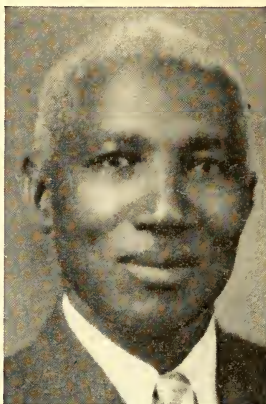
"We must go forward in a cooperative and consolidated church program in communities where there are several small rural churches having service only once per month," he advised. Pointing out the opportunities in consolidation, he asserted, "Three or four churches could combine their forces and build a modern brick church with Sunday School rooms, basement, baptizing pool and a modern heating system."

In calling for a forward march in the financial goal of the organization, the Rev. Mr. Thomas recommended that a goal of \$7,867.00 be set for the year 1946-47.

Speaking of the need for training, the leader told the delegation that there was a great need for better prepared teachers in the churches.

"Sunday School teachers need special training in the Bible in order to teach others. High School and College boys and girls are not going to be contented to hear a person who knows nothing about the subject he tries to teach," he said. "The teacher must not only know his Bible, but must know that he has been changed from death unto life," he continued.

In a statement referring to the new scale of measurement of the church, Mr. Thomas said: "The success of a church or a pastor in the future will not be measured by the amount of



Dr. J. T. Hairston of Greensboro began his 40th year as pastor of the Shiloh Baptist Church of that city on the first Sunday in August. In recognition of his unusually long pastorate, the church paused July 28-August 4 and paid verbal and material tribute to him and his services. The anniversary sermon was preached by the Rev. Leon C. Riddick, director of Christian Education and Training of the General Baptist State Convention, on Sunday, August 4.

money raised, the number of Sunday School rooms constructed or the members taken into the church, but by the number of lives saved and built, and the number of homes united."

Total Receipts of the Association for 1945-46 amounted to \$2,748.49 as compared with \$2,049.57 for the previous year. In eleven years receipts have increased from \$246.25 to the amount received the current year—an increase of \$1,803.32.

News-Notes

The following churches have established libraries as a result of the Baptist Supply Store's "Start a Library" Program: First Baptist, Roxboro, the Rev. H. W. Wiley, pastor; First Baptist, Rich Square, Dr. P. A. Bishop, pastor; Shiloh Baptist Sunday School, Greensboro, Wm. Small, superintendent, Dr. J. T.

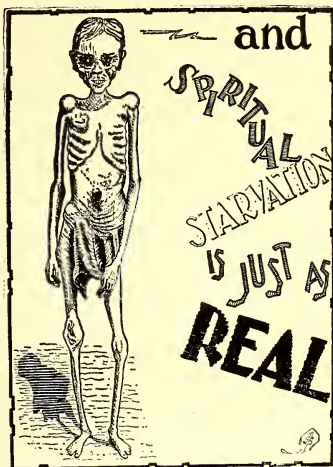
Hairston, pastor; and the Little Mount Zion Baptist Church of Suffolk, Va., the Rev. D. W. Lamb, pastor.

Many busy pastors in the state took time out long enough this summer to do advanced studies in religion. Attending Union Theological Seminary in New York were the Rev. O. L. Sherrill, Wilmington, the Rev. Paul H. Johnson, Raleigh; the Rev. Wm. Westbrook, Henderson, and Rev. B. L. Boone of Windsor. The Revs. J. W. Wiley of Brick, and R. Irving Boone of Wilmington pursued special work at Columbia University in New York. Mrs. Martha J. Brown, field worker of the Woman's Home and Foreign Mission Convention, also pursued special work at Union Theological Seminary in Missions.

Executive Secretary and Mrs. Thomas Kilgore had born to them a baby girl, Lyn Elder, on July 11.

Dr. J. H. Moore, former pastor of the First Church of Charlotte, began his new duties as executive director of the Baptist Headquarters Center of Philadelphia and vicinity on July 1. In a recent letter, the Rev. Mr. Moore writes that he is becoming adjusted to the new situation and is liking his new work very much. The center is located on 17th and Diamond streets.

Three Mission Mass meetings will be held in the Northeastern section of the State during September and October, it was learned through Mrs. Morton of Oxford. On the third Sunday in September, a meeting will be held at Ilong Baptist Church; the 4th Sunday at the First Baptist Church of Stovall, and the first Sunday in October at Mt. Pleasant or Ashley Grove in Warren County.



Total Contributions Received For Missions and Christian Education Through the Office of Executive Secretary

During JULY, 1946

The Reverend N. L. Horton-Clayton	\$ 1.00
West Lenoir Street Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. N. L. Horton	1.00
Union Baptist—Lexington: Rev. P. R. Brown	.86
Hammonds Creek Union: Rev. R. L. Blue	5.00

RALEIGH AND VICINITY STATE MISSION DAY DRIVE:

Martin Street Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. P. H. Johnson	125.00
Oberlin Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. U. S. Brown	40.00
South Main Street Baptist—Louisburg: Rev. J. W. Jones	40.00
Fayetteville Street Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. J. W. Jones	150.00
Good Hope Baptist: Rev. O. S. Bullock	37.05
Oak City Baptist—Method: Rev. C. R. Trotter	25.00
Mount Zion Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. A. A. Anderson	17.20
Tupper Memorial Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. C. C. Jones	40.00

First Baptist—Enfield: Rev. K. P. Battle	3.00
Phillippi Baptist—Coefield: Rev. C. A. Hart	1.00
South Main Street Baptist—Louisburg: Rev. D. P. Lewis	5.84
Pleasant Grove Baptist—Wendell: Rev. G. S. Stokes	10.00
Second Baptist—Macon: Rev. S. L. Suitt	4.40

Providence Baptist—Greensboro: Rev. J. W. Tyne	200.00
Warrenton Baptist—Warrenton: Rev. C. L. Faison	7.37
Pleasant Grove Baptist—Norlina: Rev. S. G. Dunston	1.00
Shiloh Baptist—Mocksville: Rev. G. W. Campbell	5.00
The Reverend B. M. Summers—Raleigh: Rev. J. D. Spruill	1.00
First Baptist—New Bern: Rev. T. L. Bynum	5.50

Mount Sinai Baptist—Durham: Rev. J. R. Stanford	10.14
Mrs. Mollie Peace—Oxford	1.00
Mrs. M. A. Reid—Bridges	1.00
Red Hill Baptist—Whitakers: Rev. H. H. Hart	1.00
Saint Luke Baptist—Littleton: Rev. J. S. Spruill	3.00

Wilson County Sunday School Convention: Mr. James E. Woodward	50.00
Jerusalem Baptist—Elberon: Rev. M. P. Davis	1.70
Miss L. B. Walker—Baptist Headquarters	7.00

WINSTON-SALEM AND VICINITY MISSIONARY AND EDUCATIONAL UNION:

Shiloh Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. R. M. Pitts	450.00
First Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. D. R. Hedgley	253.00
New Bethel Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. Jerry Drayton	200.00
Mount Zion Baptist—Winston-Salem	15.00
First Institutional—Winston-Salem: Rev. K. R. Williams	50.00
West End Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. Chas. Ward	25.00
Mount Pleasant—Winston-Salem: Rev. G. C. Crawford	39.00
Second Mount Zion—Winston-Salem: Rev. J. D. Monroe	15.00
Dreamland Park—Winston-Salem: Rev. W. A. Coleman	5.00
Mount Olive Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. G. W. Coates	5.00
Friendship Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. C. D. Gallup	150.00
Rising Star Baptist—Walnut Cove: Rev. Thomas Kline	25.00
Tenth Street Bible Class—Winston-Salem: Mr. P. L. Parker	10.00
Forsyth County Missionary Union	11.05
Forsyth County Sunday School Union	32.00
Missionary and Educational Union of Winston-Salem	46.98

Baptist Ministers Conference—Winston-Salem: Rev. R. M. Pitts	10.00
Phillippi Baptist—Coefield: Rev. C. A. Hart	200.00
Saint John Baptist: Rev. C. A. Hart	200.00
Ebenezer Baptist—Charlotte: Dr. H. M. Moore	17.50
First Baptist—Lillington: Rev. E. A. Farham	1.00
Mount Hope Baptist—Jackson: Rev. K. P. Battle	3.00
Chestnut Grove—Statesville: Rev. D. L. McGuire	26.20
Sylvia Baptist, Winceville Baptist and Canton Baptist Fifth Sunday Union: Rev. J. H. Smith	3.00
New Light Baptist—Lenoir: Rev. V. C. Burns	1.00
Ministers Union—Union Association: Rev. A. G. Boone	20.00
Clarks Grove—Wadesville: Rev. E. M. Wicks	10.00
Sunday School and B.T.U. Training Conference	5.00
Sycamore Hill Baptist—Greenville: Rev. J. A. Nimmo	9.27
Mount Pisgah Baptist—Burgaw: Rev. J. D. McRae	23.00
Lakes Chapel: Rev. H. H. Peterson	4.00
Anders Chapel Baptist: Rev. C. R. Murray	2.50
Mount Zion Baptist—Rev. C. R. Murray	2.00
Union Grove Baptist—Kearling: Rev. Dennis Palmer	12.00
Mount Zion Baptist—Chapel Hill: Rev. J. H. Jones	1.20
Young Ministers and Deacons Union—Winston-Salem: Mr. P. N. Macon	12.00
First Baptist—Oxford: Dr. G. W. Watkins	121.30
Mr. Ed. Powers—Wallace	12.00
Social Union Baptist—Nashville	9.00
First Baptist—Rose Hill: Rev. J. W. Williams	5.00
Antioch Baptist: Rev. W. T. Edmonds	10.00
LOTT CAREY CONFERENCE ANNUAL DRIVE:	
Saint Elmo Baptist—Windsor: Rev. D. L. Simon	10.00
Second Baptist—Creeksville: Rev. R. E. James	24.00
Sandy Point Baptist: Rev. J. P. Law	8.00
Saint John Baptist: Rev. C. A. Hart	10.00
Phillippi Baptist—Coefield: Rev. C. A. Hart	10.00
Mount Moriah Baptist: Rev. H. L. Mitchell	10.00
Mount Pleasant Baptist: Rev. J. P. Law	15.00
New Heaven: Dr. A. Bishop	25.00
Elm Grove Baptist: Rev. D. L. Simon	10.00
Saint Luke Baptist: Rev. J. W. White	10.00
Harrellsville Chapel: Rev. C. A. Hart	10.00
Branches Chapel: Rev. O. M. James	10.00
Parker's Grove Baptist: Rev. J. E. James	5.00
Zion Hill Baptist: Rev. J. A. Nimmo	15.00
Wynn's Chapel: Rev. A. R. Smith	6.00
Saint Paul Baptist: Rev. D. L. Simon	15.00
Pineywood Chapel Baptist: Rev. W. H. Trotman	10.00
Conocanary Baptist: Rev. J. P. Law	13.00
First Baptist—Murfreesboro: Rev. G. T. Rousen	10.00
Mill Neck Baptist—Como: Rev. H. L. Mitchell	25.00
Nebo Baptist: Rev. J. W. White	10.00
New Bethany Baptist: Rev. D. W. Lamb	25.00
First Baptist—Sparta: Rev. G. T. Rousen	20.00
First Baptist—Pottsville: Rev. Geo. Brown	25.00
Menola Baptist: Rev. E. M. Lewis	15.00
Calvary Baptist: Rev. E. M. Lewis	15.00
Second Baptist Union: Rev. E. M. Lewis	10.00
Zoar Baptist: Dr. P. A. Bishop	25.00
Leulla Baptist: Rev. J. P. Law	6.00
New Ashokle Baptist: Rev. R. H. Patterson	15.00
Cumco Chapel Baptist: Rev. E. P. Suggs	10.00
Beulah Woman's Union: Mrs. Ellen Gordan	1.00
Zion Grove Baptist: Rev. H. H. Hart	10.00
Peterson Grove Baptist: Rev. J. A. Cherry	20.00
Mount Olive Baptist—Leviston: Rev. C. E. Griffin	10.00
Jerusalem Baptist: Rev. H. H. Hart	10.00
Indianwoods Baptist: Rev. W. H. Ruffin	20.00
Saint Francis Baptist: Rev. J. W. White	10.00
Newsome Grove Baptist: Rev. J. W. Trotman	10.00
First Baptist—Rich Square: Dr. P. A. Bishop	10.00
Sandy Branch Baptist: Dr. P. A. Bishop	20.00
Beulah Union: Mr. K. D. Odums	10.00
Woodville Plains Baptist: Rev. J. T. Doles	5.00
Mount Ararat Baptist: Rev. S. L. Lawrence	10.00
First Baptist—Murfreesboro: Rev. G. T. Rousen	10.00
First Baptist—Kelford: Rev. Alfred Smith	1.50
Mill Branch Baptist: Rev. J. W. Trotman	20.00
Second Baptist—Potocasi: Dr. P. A. Bishop	20.00
Weeping Mary Baptist: Rev. P. G. Welch	30.00
Spring Hill Baptist: Rev. J. H. Davis	50.00
Chapel Hill Baptist: Rev. J. H. Davis	75.00
Lott Carey Conference: Dr. P. A. Bishop	272.90
Illog Baptist: Rev. G. E. Cheek	75.00
Springfield Baptist: Rev. R. M. Williams	41.00
Mount Olive Baptist—Mars Hill: Rev. J. H. Smith	5.50
Temple Memorial Baptist—High Point: Rev. F. R. Mason	10.00
Snow Hill Baptist—Roseboro: Rev. Willie Beamon	1.00
Mount Gilead Baptist—Durham: Rev. E. Wimberly	22.00
Roaokoe Zion Baptist—Palmyra: Rev. W. E. Battle	1.00
Penn Avenue Baptist—Oxford: Rev. H. D. Eaton	1.00
Gethsemane Baptist—Bunn: Rev. A. L. Morgan	2.00
Eastern Chapel—Goldboro: Rev. J. M. Eames	2.00
Good Hope Baptist—Fayetteville: Rev. E. J. F. Melvin	35.00
Sunday School and B.T.U. Convention—High Point Association	35.00
Mount Bright Baptist—Kilgore: Rev. A. B. Johnson	50.00
Mr. E. M. Butler—Wilmington	2.00
Mount Olive Baptist—Leviston: Rev. C. E. Griffin	20.00
Ministers and Deacons Union—New Hope Association	22.65
West Roanoke Union Meeting	1.00
Coley Spring Baptist: Rev. L. H. Johnson	1.00
Haywood Chapel Baptist: Rev. L. H. Johnson	1.00
New Era Sunday School Union: Mrs. L. Williams	10.00
First Baptist—Sparta: Rev. G. T. Rousen	10.00
Rocky Spring Baptist—Credmoor: Rev. L. J. Alexander	2.00
New Hope Baptist—Spring Hope: Rev. A. M. Wiggins	30.00
First Baptist—Wilmington: Rev. A. Jackson Ryans	54.99
Illog Baptist: Rev. G. E. Cheek	50.00
Snow Hill Baptist—Norlina: Rev. E. L. Brodie	50.42
Woman's Auxiliary—New Bern Association: Mrs. R. C. Whitehead	25.00
Taylor's Chapel—Sanford: Rev. C. F. Williams	3.00

Saint Delight—Baptist: Rev. Ned Jones.....	1.69	Olive Grove Baptist: Rev. W. D. Barton.....	20.90
Jonpa Baptist: Rev. W. F. Brinkley.....	16.17	Lea's Chapel: Rev. L. E. Day.....	50.00
Providence Baptist—Edenton: Rev. L. G. Nichols.....	75.00	Cameron Grove Baptist: Rev. J. E. Thorpe.....	50.00
Union Branch Baptist: Rev. H. L. Mitchell.....	25.00	Greenfield Baptist: Rev. A. Alexander.....	40.00
Zion B.T.U.: Mrs. P. Leroy.....	5.00	Lattsville Grove: Rev. Coy Thomas.....	21.18
Saint James Baptist—Rocky Mount: Rev. W. L. Mason.....	300.00	Siloam Baptist: Rev. J. E. Thorpe.....	50.00
Social Union Baptist—Nashville: Rev. J. E. Cherry.....	25.00	Pine Grove Baptist: Rev. G. W. Thomas.....	40.07
Bethlehem Baptist—Durham: Rev. C. S. Sutton.....	25.00	Ledgar Rock Baptist: Rev. J. C. Graham.....	60.00
Mount Calvary Baptist—Goldboro: Rev. G. W. Todd.....	3.13	Mount Vernon Baptist: Rev. K. L. Long.....	20.00
First Baptist—Warsaw: Rev. A. G. Boone.....	1.00	New Saint James Baptist: Rev. A. Peace.....	40.00
First Baptist—Kenansville: Rev. J. M. Mallette.....	10.00	Union Baptist: Rev. A. S. Croom.....	15.00
Terrell Creek Baptist: Rev. T. A. Grady.....	3.00	Henderson Grove Baptist: Rev. Wm. H. Gooch.....	50.00
Ocean View Association: Rev. L. M. Stevenson.....	11.00	Tally Ho Baptist: Rev. Ransom Thomas.....	67.15
Adoram Baptist—Wallace: Rev. L. C. Kiddick.....	34.60	Mount Zoar Baptist: Rev. G. W. Thomas.....	65.00
West Durham Baptist: Rev. T. A. Grady.....	11.00	Red Mountain Baptist: Rev. T. C. Graham.....	15.00
Ebenezer Baptist—Wilson: Rev. C. T. Rhodes.....	25.00	Mount Calvary Baptist: Rev. G. C. Graham.....	65.00
First Baptist—Raleigh: Dr. O. S. Bullock.....	225.00	Second Baptist.....	45.00
Roanoke Chapel Baptist—Garysburg: Rev. W. M. Wiggins.....	1.00	Saint Paul Baptist: Rev. J. H. Peppers.....	50.00
Corner Stone Baptist—Elizabeth City: Rev. J. R. R. McKay.....	75.00	First Baptist—Creekside: Rev. Wm. H. Fuller.....	50.00
Shiloh Baptist—Arcola: Rev. E. L. Brodie.....	4.50	Saint John Baptist: Rev. L. M. Gooch.....	50.00
New Heaven Baptist—Murfreesboro: Dr. P. A. Bishop.....	1.00	Rocky Spring Baptist: Rev. L. J. Alexander.....	50.00
Mount Pleasant Baptist: Rev. A. L. Thompson.....	4.00	New Hope—Person: Rev. Ransom Thomas.....	50.00
Cool Spring Baptist: Rev. F. L. Bullock—Enfield.....	10.00	New Light Baptist: Rev. N. A. Trice.....	20.00
Mrs. Josie Jones—Ahsokie.....	1.00	Calvary Baptist: Rev. L. E. Day.....	10.00
Sycamore Hill Baptist—Greenville: Rev. J. A. Nimmo.....	12.13	Synama Grove Baptist: Rev. Ransom Thomas.....	50.00
Zion Plain Baptist—Nations: Rev. W. D. Flowers.....	1.80	West Durham Baptist: Rev. T. C. Graham.....	60.00
Zion Sunday School Convention: Mr. A. L. Leak—Wadesboro.....	50.15	New Hope Baptist—Granville: Rev. G. H. Hoskin.....	25.00
Saint John Sunday School Convention: Rev. J. W. McLaughlin.....	8.00		
COUNTY LINE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT:			
Michal Creek Baptist: Rev. J. L. Lewis.....	37.98	TOTAL East Cedar Grove.....	\$1,600.00
Davis Chapel Baptist: Rev. G. L. Smith.....	11.38		
Morning Star Baptist: Rev. Batt Green.....	6.82	New Hope Sunday School Convention.....	15.00
Hardie Grove Baptist: Rev. W. M. Perry.....	11.38		
Huntsville Baptist: Rev. R. Thomas.....	18.22	ZION SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION:	
New Corinth Baptist: Rev. G. W. Thomas.....	37.98	Barringer's Church: Rev. J. L. Little.....	3.10
Johnson Creek Baptist.....	34.34	Brown's Creek: Rev. J. L. Little.....	27.78
Mount Gideon Baptist: Rev. L. C. Green.....	4.54	First Baptist—Wadesboro: Rev. J. V. Easterling.....	14.12
White Rock Baptist: Rev. M. G. Green.....	4.54	First Baptist—Hamlet: Rev. J. C. Johnson.....	3.32
Saint Matthews Baptist: Rev. Batt Green.....	11.38	First Baptist—Monroe: Rev. C. C. Faison.....	10.00
Blue Wing Baptist: Rev. Melvin Creech.....	45.68	Cedar Creek Baptist: Rev. J. R. Johnson.....	16.40
Stovall Baptist: Rev. N. A. Trice.....	11.38	Chambers Grove Baptist.....	2.00
Baptist Grove: Rev. I. F. Hicks.....	11.38	Chiles Grove: Rev. C. L. Crockett.....	92.14
New Grassy Creek Baptist.....	1.86	Deep Creek Baptist: Rev. J. A. Little.....	9.00
Vernon Hill Baptist: Rev. L. M. Gooch.....	11.38	Elizabeth Baptist: Rev. J. V. Easterling.....	6.89
Mount Spring Baptist: Rev. Batt Green.....	6.06	Ebenezer Baptist: Rev. B. T. Johnson.....	3.88
Whetstone Baptist: Rev. G. A. Gilchrist.....	7.68	Flag Branch Baptist: Rev. E. H. Martin.....	13.80
Aaron Creek Baptist: Rev. Frank Smith.....	9.86	Flat Rock Baptist: Rev. J. P. Sloan.....	3.00
Goshen Hill Baptist: Rev. L. C. Green.....	2.28	Friendship Baptist—Monroe: Rev. A. Little.....	10.00
Fayetteville Street Baptist—Raleigh: Rev. J. W. Jones.....	5.00	Galilee Baptist: Rev. F. C. Chavis.....	7.21
Winnic Oak Sunday School: Rev. A. Taylor.....	5.00	Long Pine Baptist: Rev. R. H. L. Crockett.....	8.44
Pee Dee Sunday School Convention: Rev. J. H. Ferguson.....	5.00	Madison Grove Baptist: Rev. E. L. Little.....	52.16
Fairview Baptist—Salisbury: Rev. V. C. Burns.....	2.00	McLonsville Baptist: Rev. J. W. Diggs.....	15.39
First Baptist—Fremont: Rev. J. E. Bowden.....	3.20	McLain Grove Baptist: Rev. G. A. Myers.....	6.79
The Reverend W. Mitchell.....	2.40	Mount Moriah Baptist: Rev. B. A. Allen.....	4.08
First Baptist—Winton: Rev. G. T. Rousin.....	2.40	Mount Zion Baptist: Rev. B. B. Johnson.....	6.60
Flag Branch Baptist—Monroe: Rev. E. H. Martin.....	3.89	New Zion Baptist: Rev. E. H. Martin.....	3.54
Mount Calvary Baptist: Rev. C. C. Graham.....	4.00	Nicy Grove Baptist: Rev. J. C. Graham.....	20.00
RISING STAR ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT:			
Antioch Baptist: Rev. M. N. Adams.....	6.00	Oliver Branch Baptist: Rev. Walker.....	5.50
Brown's New Calvary Baptist: Rev. A. Gary.....	10.00	Parson's Grove Baptist: Rev. J. E. Diggs.....	22.57
Emmanuel Baptist—Thomasville: Rev. J. W. Hawkins.....	5.00	Pleasant Hill Baptist: Rev. E. J. Funderburk.....	6.20
First Baptist—Kannapolis: Rev. W. M. Alexander.....	5.00	Poplar Hill Baptist: Rev. S. B. Hancock.....	50.00
Friendship Baptist—Thomasville.....	5.00	Poplar Springs: Rev. J. W. Diggs.....	13.50
First Baptist—South Mount: Rev. J. I. Hargraves.....	5.00	Rockford E. Baptist: Rev. C. L. Chambers.....	6.49
New Zion Baptist—Linwood: Rev. H. Hargraves.....	5.00	Rockford W. Baptist: Rev. W. L. Wilson.....	15.00
New Light Baptist—Winston-Salem: Rev. Tatum.....	5.00	Rock Spring Baptist.....	2.70
Smith Grove Baptist—Linwood: Rev. J. B. Mason.....	10.00	Ramah Grove Baptist: Rev. J. R. Faison.....	5.40
Pleasant Grove Baptist.....	5.00	Sandy Ridge Baptist: Rev. J. W. Diggs.....	35.00
Rocky Ridge Baptist.....	10.00	Saron Baptist.....	3.00
Rising Star Association: Rev. A. B. Guest.....	101.62	Shackle Grove Baptist: Rev. C. L. Chambers.....	1.05
First Baptist—Wilson: Rev. F. M. Davis.....	20.00	Salem Baptist: Rev. E. H. Martin.....	1.66
Nash County Sunday School and B.T.U. Convention: Rev. G. S. Stokes.....	56.10	Timmonsville: Rev. R. H. L. Crockett.....	1.36
Zion Baptist—Reidsville: Rev. E. L. Kirby.....	100.00	Tillman Station.....	1.36
First Baptist—Concord: Rev. H. H. Hawkins.....	4.05	White Oak Baptist: Rev. J. H. Dukes.....	4.96
Carter's Chapel—Roanoke Rapids: Rev. G. A. Gilchrist.....	2.00	Zion Sunday School Convention.....	2.00
Mount Moriah Baptist—Louisburg: Rev. H. H. Alston.....	7.00	New Liberty Baptist: Rev. N. A. Cheek.....	2.60
Bassel Creek Baptist—Holly Springs: Rev. H. H. Hart.....	4.04	Olive Grove Baptist: Rev. N. A. Cheek.....	4.53
New Bethel Baptist—Dayton: Rev. B. G. Coley.....	1.00	Belton Creek Baptist: Rev. N. A. Cheek.....	5.00
Union Baptist—Lexington: Rev. P. R. Brown.....	75	Cedar Grove United Board: Rev. C. R. Harper.....	1.00
Mount Olive Baptist—Lexington: Rev. C. E. Griffin.....	100.00	Mount Gilead Baptist—Mount Olive: Rev. W. E. Battle.....	3.00
First Baptist—Jacobville: Rev. Mc. Hawkins.....	12.00	Mount Zion Baptist—Macon: Rev. W. L. Johnson.....	3.59
Mrs. Lillie D. Williams—Whiteville.....	12.00	North East Cape Fear Sunday School Convention: Rev. J. D. McRae.....	1.00
Mrs. Mary A. Reid—Bricks.....	1.00	Butler Branch Baptist: Rev. N. H. Hamer.....	2.00
Mount Pleasant—Falls at Neuse: Rev. C. H. Heath.....	1.00	Saint John Baptist: Rev. N. H. Hamer.....	2.00
First Baptist—Barrington: Mrs. C. A. McVea.....	1.00	First Baptist—Enfield: Rev. K. P. Battle.....	2.50
Getsemame Baptist—Salisbury: Rev. W. H. Bryant.....	28.00	Meltonsville Baptist: Rev. J. W. Diggs.....	35.00
Mount Zion Baptist—Beaufort: Mrs. M. Benson.....	3.00	Sunday School and B.T.S. Convention—Henderson: Mr. James Pilgrim.....	18.50
Lovely Hill Baptist: Rev. E. B. Suggs.....	2.25	Warren County Sunday School Convention: Mr. C. J. Jones.....	33.46
Pee Dee Baptist—Lilesville: Rev. T. S. McIver.....	2.25	Antioch Baptist—Oxford: Rev. G. E. Cheek.....	2.10
The Reverend T. S. McIver—Winston-Salem.....	1.00	Bert County Sunday School and B.T.U. Convention: Rev. J. P. Law.....	37.00
Poplar Springs—Adair: Rev. J. B. Everett.....	3.00	Mount Zion Baptist—Chapel Hill: Rev. J. H. Jones.....	3.15
Hawkins Chapel—Fayetteville: Rev. J. W. Davis.....	3.25	Morning Star Baptist—Hickory: Rev. C. R. Harper.....	2.00
Saint John Baptist—Climax: Rev. J. W. Mason.....	6.60	Fancy Hill Baptist—High Shoals: Rev. J. C. Brewer.....	5.00
New Zion Baptist—Jonesboro: Rev. J. W. Mason.....	6.60	Hawkins Chapel—Franklin: Rev. M. P. Davis.....	5.85
New Light Baptist—Lenoir: Rev. C. G. Coley.....	1.00	Warrenton Baptist: Rev. C. L. Faison.....	7.42
Mount Sinai Baptist—Catawba: Rev. W. S. Sherrill.....	1.00	Swift Creek Baptist—Whitakers: Rev. C. H. Whitakers.....	1.00
Pilgrim Chapel—James City: Rev. J. E. Bowden.....	1.00	First Baptist—Fremont: Rev. J. E. Bowden.....	3.00
Jerusalem Baptist—Council: Rev. R. L. Blue.....	1.00	Wall Street Baptist—Sanford: Rev. A. P. McCleave.....	20.00
EAST CEDAR GROVE ASSOCIATIONAL REPORT:			
Lawson Chapel: Rev. L. S. Thompson.....	80.00	North End Baptist—Mound: Rev. J. W. Lucas.....	13.00
Cedar Grove: Rev. L. E. Thorpe.....	85.00	Robert's Chapel—Goldston: Rev. J. T. Hairston.....	4.00
Jones' Chapel: Rev. U. R. Brooker.....	65.00	Philippi Baptist—Chico: Rev. E. H. Harris.....	5.00
Cleghs' Chapel: Rev. L. S. Thompson.....	80.00	Ledgar Grove Baptist: Rev. J. C. Graham.....	2.00
Shady Hill Baptist: Rev. J. H. Jackson.....	80.00	Wall's Chapel Baptist: Rev. J. C. Graham.....	2.00
Union Chapel.....	30.00	Ebenezer Baptist—Charlotte: Dr. H. M. Moore.....	17.74
City of God in the Wilderness: Rev. Bud Bradsher.....	30.00	Other Income.....	922.09
Mount Level Baptist: Rev. J. B. Brooks.....	20.00		
Oak Grove Baptist: Rev. M. Burchett.....	50.00		
		TOTAL.....	\$10,130.78